

XXV. *Supplementary Note to a Paper entitled Hymenoptera aculeata, collected by the Rev. ALFRED E. EATON, M.A., in Madeira and Tenerife, in the spring of 1902.* By EDWARD SAUNDERS, F.R.S., F.L.S.

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I REGRET to say that when I wrote the above paper I entirely overlooked an article by Professor Perez of Bordeaux, published in the *Annales de la Société Ent. de France* for 1894, in which he describes the new species of Hymenoptera taken in the "Voyage de M. Ch. Alluaud aux îles Canaries."—In this article I find the species which I have described under the name of *Podalirius canariensis* described as *Anthophora alluaudi*, to which of course *canariensis* must sink as a synonym.

It is curious that Professor Perez and myself should have made almost identical remarks about the black variety of *Bombus terrestris* with the white tail, both suggesting that it probably represents what Brullé quotes as *B. soroensis*. I can only apologize to Professor Perez for unwittingly appropriating his observation.

It may be worth mentioning that *Alluaudi*, Per., is omitted by Friese in his monograph of the Genus *Podalirius* 1897.